

TOWN OF RIVERHEAD

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HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE (NON-RECYCLABLE) TWO PICK UPS PER WK

Up to four (4) bags, bundles or containers of non-recyclable garbage per single-family dwelling shall be collected on the first and last pick up of each week. Garbage must be secured from animals in strong, sealed bags in tight-fitting containers. Residents doing home improvement jobs should contact the carting company to make arrangements for large quantities of debris.

RECYCLABLES

Please refer to your **RECYCLING PICKUP SCHEDULE** for the appropriate week.



PAPER RECYCLING—newspapers, copy paper, books (hard covers removed), magazines, catalogs, telephone books, junk mail, cardboard (corrugated and non corrugated) are to be bundled together and tied with twine or placed in paper bags or cardboard boxes and placed curbside for pickup.

CO-MINGLED—plastic containers with recycle emblem (all numbers accepted), glass, tin and aluminum cans may be co-mingled with each other in containers and placed curbside for pickup. Decals are available in the Sanitation Department, two per household per year. **DO NOT INCLUDE PLASTIC BAGS.**

*****DO NOT PACKAGE ANY OF THE ABOVE MATERIALS IN PLASTIC BAGS*****

YARD WASTE



All year long, up to **TWELVE (12) BAGS OF PAPER BAGGED LEAVES, BUNDLED BRANCHES OR CONTAINERS OF OTHER YARD/GARDEN DEBRIS (EXCLUDING GRASS CLIPPINGS)** shall be collected. Leaves must be bagged in paper lawn & leaf bags. Leaves may also be placed loose in pails for pick up curbside. Branches shall be bundled in four (4) ft or shorter lengths not weighing more than 50lbs. **DO NOT USE PLASTIC BAGS, THEY WILL NOT BE COLLECTED.**

NOTE: AS INDICATED ON THE RECYCLE SCHEDULE, DURING THE WEEKS HIGHLIGHTED IN SPRING & FALL, UNLIMITED **PAPER BAGGED LEAVES** WILL BE COLLECTED ON YOUR **NORMALLY SCHEDULED** BULK AND YARD WASTE DAY. ALSO DURING THAT TIME, **LEAVES ONLY** MAY BE DISPOSED OF AT THE YARD WASTE FACILITY ON YOUNG'S AVENUE, FREE OF CHARGE, WITH PROOF OF RESIDENCY.

BULK ITEMS

Up to six (6) bulk items (appliances, scrap metal, furniture, mattresses, rugs) shall be collected. All bulk items must be in safe condition, fluids drained and placed curbside for pickup.

NOTE: BULK ITEMS ARE LARGE ITEMS AND NOT LARGE AMOUNTS OF TRASH. ANYTHING THAT CAN BE PUT INTO A CONTAINER OR GARBAGE BAG SHOULD BE DISPOSED OF AS HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE.

RESIDENTS OBLIGATIONS

Residents receiving service shall place all solid wastes curbside, in front of their residence **BY 6:00 a.m.** on scheduled collection days. Residents shall keep the lifting weight of containers, bags and bundles to **BELOW FIFTY (50) POUNDS EACH. PLEASE CONTACT THE SANITATION DEPARTMENT FOR PROPER DISPOSAL OF MEDICAL SHARPS.**

HOLIDAY POLICY

Please note the holidays on the recycling schedule as indicated by a **RED CIRCLE**. Collection services are cancelled on these holidays **ONLY**. **All other collection days that week will remain the same as normally scheduled.** (NOTE: Collection may also be cancelled due to snow or severe weather conditions. In such instances, residents should monitor WRIV 1390 AM or WLNG 92.1 FM for news or postponements/cancellations due to weather conditions.)

Special arrangements for handicapped individuals can be made by calling the Sanitation Department. Household hazardous waste collection days and other helpful information will be posted in local newspapers and on the Town's website www.townofriverheadny.gov